## PATENT

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Applicant: Ronald Levy et al.

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Title: CLASSIFICATION OF PATIENTS HAVING DIFFUSE LARGE

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## FINAL AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed February 28, 2006 and the Advisory Action mailed July 20, 2006, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Applicant hereby petitions under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a two month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) for such extension of time.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.